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Jolly Time at Masonic Supper

The Memorial Hall took on a very festive appearance Friday last when the two Strathmore Masonic Lodges arranged a very happy entertainment preceded by a bounteous and appetizing dinner. It was Ladies night and members of the Iricana Lodge were special guests.

Approximately one hundred and forty occupied seats at the attractive tables, adorned with streamers of blue on a white background. Mayor T. S. Hughes presided in his customary general manner.

Following the banquet, Community singing led by Mr. Cliff Mallett of Keoma with Mrs. Alice May at the piano was heartily rendered.

The toast to the King and the Craft was ably proposed by S. H. Crowther, stating that he honor the king because he and his Queen stand for the ideals which the Anglo Saxon upholds, and the principles of the Craft emphasize the same ideals.

A warm welcome was extended to all guests by Mr. Bill Slater of the Strathmore Blue Lodge responded to by Mr. Wilfred Longson. The toast to the Ladies was briefly proposed by Don Gillies and suitably responded to by Mrs. George McLean.

Excellent musical numbers were contributed by Mrs. Brown who sang, Danny Boy and Eyes of Blue. Blaine Chapman sang Without a Song and Song of the Open Road, Miss Chapman accompanying each, who also gave two piano selections beautifully rendered.

A. T. A. MEETING

On Wednesday evening, March 5 the Strathmore sub-club held its fifth meeting in the home economics rooms at Strathmore.

Although the attendance was unusually small all took part and the discussions were unusually lively.

After a brief though interesting report by our councillor Mr. Hiebert, on the last Executive Meeting, Mr. Crowther gave a comprehensive report on the Single and Positional Salary Schedules. All were urged to attend the General Meeting called by the Executive and Negotiating Committee.

Following a short discussion on our local and regional School Sports, May 23 and June 7 were suggested as dates, meeting with general approval.

Of interest to the teachers, was the forming of a volunteer committee to be held in the final arrangement of the numerous items of the Revised School Fair Prize List, thus hastening the date of its issue.

Chapters II and III of the book "Education" were presented by Mrs. York, stressing the Educational Principle, that adult education, enriched by Continued on Page Eight

FUNERAL SERVICES FOR MRS. ENGLUND

The death of Mrs. Amanda Englund at the age of 81, is a great loss to the community, as she will be missed by all who knew her.

Mrs. Englund was born in Smoland Sweden in 1865 moving to Hector Minnesota with her parents at the age of nine.

She was married to Eric Escland on July 20 1889, pioneering in Minnesota to the early days and moving to Strathmore Alberta in 1910 being one of the early settlers in this part of the country.

During those years of swift passing and swift change she and her family took active part in Church community and social life for many years.

Her home was a home for everyone

Capacity Crowd Attends Meeting

Testifying to the interest of the public in the project, every seat was taken at the meeting called on Monday night in the Memorial Hall, to discuss the erection of a covered skating and curling rink as memorial to the men who fell in World War II.

A very funny skit was put on by five members of the Iricana Lodge. These were Walter Anderson, C. C. H. Anderson, J. H. Caldwell, J. Ferguson and W. A. Longson Jr.

The chair tendered thanks to Mr. R. E. Gray, Don Gillies and Mrs. Hanson for the well prepared dinner and to the C.G.T. girls for capable serving and to all who had contributed to the programme, and thereby made the evening so interesting.

The tables were cleared and the impromptu dance followed.

IAN M'KENZIE HEADS LEGION

Mr. Ian McKenzie was elected president of the Strathmore Branch of the Legion on Tuesday night at the annual meeting of the branch. A rather disappointing number of members was present, due to the mixed bonspiel and the hockey game.

Business matters dealt with included suggestion of making arrangements to see that the next year's poppy sales be so arranged as to permit all the public to buy poppies. A motion passed also, asking that the incoming executive meet with the band, and try to make suitable arrangements for their continued practise, and also that the Legion continue to support them financially.

It was suggested that the new Ladies Auxiliary had not had time to raise funds of their own, and that in order to help them out the Branch make available to them \$100. This motion carried.

Strong protest arose over the situation which has arisen only recently, according to the hall manager, of a serious shortage in the dish stock of the hall. Where there were twenty bowls only three weeks ago, there are now only two, according to a count by R. E. Gray. Chairs and benches which had been loaned were damaged on return, it was pointed out, and it was suggested that strong measures would need to be taken if this situation did not clear up.

A motion was endorsed that this Branch protest the policy of the Dominion Government in admitting to this country further immigrants, Doukhobors and other nationalities for their cheap labour value.

A motion was also proposed and carried that this Branch ask the Pro Continued on Page Four

PLAN TO RAISE MEMORIAL RINK

Major Hughes presided, and early in the meeting called Mr. Keith Baldwin to explain two drawings made from charts obtained from Maple Leaf Gardens, Toronto.

Mr. Baldwin explained in full detail the lay-out necessary for curling rinks, dressing rooms, showers, lunch counter, and so forth. He advocated a site as near the swimming pool as possible, in order to allow of joint use of facilities for any further expansion.

Prices had been obtained through Mr. Fonger for lumber and material necessary. The cost for materials and labor would be in the neighborhood of \$15,000 to \$20,000. Interested and enthusiastic discussion followed as to what method to finance would be best, whether straight donations or by shares to be redeemed when possible.

TOWN WELL AT 440'

Reports on Thursday from the well being drilled were that the drillers had gone down to 140 feet in their effort to secure more water. Results of this further drilling are however, not known, as no test has as yet been made. The only indication as to the supply of water is that the water rises 250 feet in the column.

The last test was made just over a week ago, and showed some thirty gallons a minute.

The drillers were meeting with a committee from the Council consisting of Mayor Hughes and Councillor Patrick on Thursday afternoon to decide on further action.

Health Talk at Lions

A large turnout greeted the caterers at the Lions Club last Thursday night, when members, together with about a dozen of their wives gathered in the Hall. The women had been invited to this meeting to hear the talk to be delivered by Miss Hutchings, District Health Nurse.

Bill Woodliffe was welcomed as a member of the Club.

On behalf of the Club, President Charles Harvey presented Miss Mary Fonger, the Lions candidate for queen in the recent carnival, with a lovely string of matched pearls.

Winner of the Scott Pot for the evening was Charles Scott.

The meeting on the 29th of this month, it was announced would be a father and children night. Members of the Strathmore Junior Potato Club will also be guests of the Club on this night.

Some plans have been laid for the July 1st Sports Day, and George Polardy has been appointed manager of the sports and carnival preceding.

Miss Gladys Hutchings, R. N., was the speaker of the evening, and chose as her topic Mental Hygiene. She used as a locale for her talk the institutions at Oliver and Ponoka, Alberta, and traced some of the work done there. In particular, Miss Hutchings emphasized the success of the treatment of those mentally ill, and pointed to the even higher proportion of successful cases in Alberta.

Miss Hutchings talk was very well received by the attentive group, and a short question period followed. She was warmly thanked by the club for her effort.

MIXED BONSPIEL

Some twenty-nine rinks entered for the mixed bonspiel held in Strathmore this week, and play has been progressing day and night for some days.

As is usual, there are two events to the bonspiel, the main and the consolation. Prizes for each were arranged by the men's club.

At the time of writing, the main event was down to the final, with Hughes pitted against C. Mackie, and the consolation still had several games to go.

As is usual with Strathmore's bonspiels, the weather would not hold, and Thursday's warm spell made further play impossible for a few days.

ON YOUR TOES

Ill-fitting and unsuitable footwear can cause a multitude of health troubles. National Health authorities state "Your standing in the community may be influenced by the very boots you wear. Don't be a heel - get up on your toes, and adopt sensible, healthful footwear."

ST. PATRICK'S TEA

Ireland's patron Saint was the subject of a brief but very interesting talk given Thursday last by Mrs. Folk at the United Church W. A. Meeting. This was followed by a short description by Mrs. C. Way of the methods of growing and curing flax some 25 years ago, who also exhibited some beautiful hand embroidery having the Shamrock as motif.

The same theme was carried out in the long table with its shamrock cover "celtic" and serviettes, and in the dainty refreshments with potato the time honored Irish vegetable as foundation for the salad. All this was incidental to the regular business of the meeting, Mrs. Sander presiding.

Reports were given by Mrs. Wilson and Mrs. Thompson, and plans for the Easter Tea were made.

Devotional Exercises were conducted by Miss West, and a Duett, An Irish Lullaby sung by Mrs. Hughes and Mrs. Hamilton completed the programme.

RINK DONATIONS RULKED TAX EXEMPT

Following the meeting to deal with a Memorial Hockey Rink on Monday evening, a committee consisting of T. S. Hughes and J. Harwood met with representatives of the Income Tax Branch in Calgary on Wednesday, and obtained their opinion that donations to this fund would be exempt from income tax. Confirmation of this opinion is now being sought.

This is based on the promise that it is a community fund, a sort of community charity. It is emphasized that contributions may not be deducted from the tax payable, but are deductible from the total income on which the tax is computed.

The finance committee is expecting that this will help them materially in their work, and ensure individual contributions, since many people would hate to make a donation, then pay tax on it, too.

Jack Bremner: "You know, Lady Godiva was the first woman jockey." Gordie Voutier: "Did she win?" Jack: "No, but she certainly showed!"

COMING EVENTS

Regular Clinics for Infant and Pre-School Children are held by the Wheatland Health District from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m.

Strathmore, the second and fourth Tuesday in each month. Carlsland the second Friday in each month. Standard, the third Thursday in each month. Rockyford the third Friday in each month.

Office hours are from 9:12 a.m. each Saturday.

A general meeting of the Ladies Auxiliary to the Canadian Legion will be held on Monday, March 17 at 8 p.m. in the Memorial Hall. 2m13c

ST. PATRICK'S DAY TEA

St. Patrick's Day Tea sponsored by the W.A. of St. Michael's Church will be held Saturday, Mar. 15 in the Memorial Hall from 3:00 o'clock. 2m13c

The regular pre-school and baby clinic will be held in the Cluny Dormitory Friday, March 21, 1947, from 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. Miss M. Davis, Public Health Nurse will be in charge. 1m13c

Entertainment and Dance at Night-Ingale under the auspices of the Women's Institute, March 23 at 8:00 p.m. Gent's \$1.00, Ladies 50 cents. Refreshments served. 2m20c

The regular monthly meeting of the U.F.A. will be held in the Memorial Hall on Tuesday March 18, at 8 p.m. 1m13c

Don't forget the Big Annual Roast Beef supper and dance at the Namaka Community Hall on Wednesday March 19, supper commencing at 6 p.m. sharp. 1m13c

Don't forget the Ladies Aid St. Patrick's Supper in the Hall Saturday, March 15. 1m13c

St. Patrick's Day dance at Cluny Community Hall on Monday, March 17. Music by Jack Bremner's orchestra. Everybody Welcome. 1m13c

St. Michael's W. A. will again sponsor the annual Easter Monday Dance, April 7, in the Memorial Hall. Music by Jack Bremner's orchestra, and supper served in the dining room. 1m13c

Musical Concert Series members will note that the concert this month will be held March 31, instead of Monday March 17. This will be a special two piano program. Keep this date open. 1m13c

CHANCELLOR HAM RAISES AMOS 'N ANDY

Our Maude had quite a thrill on Sunday when she talked for an hour to Amos, of Amos and Andy fame, who is another one of those Radio Hams. Chancellor is really on the map.

Ms. and Mrs. C. V. Madsen entertained at dinner on Saturday evening the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Christensen and Howard, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pedersen, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wheatley, Mr. and Mrs. Vern Hansen, Mr. and Mrs. Hans Reiffenstein, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Smith and Ray Jorgensen.

Mr. J. M. Wheatley left on Sunday night to attend a banquet, as the guest of the Alberta Motor Association, complimenting the members of the Legislative Assembly. He will reply to a toast to Municipalities, while in Edmonton he will address a public meeting of the Educational Council on Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Hansen entertained some of the young married folks last Thursday.

Miss Ruby Knutson of Idendeleigh is visiting her sister Doris and is guest of Mrs. Phillips.

CARSELAND NOTES

The P.B. Club was held at the home of Mrs. G. B. Field's, March 5, an excellent lunch was served by Mrs. Max Phillips and Mrs. Jamieson. Mrs. T. Neergaard kindly offered her home for the next meeting of the Club.

Miss Mollie Campbell is undergoing an operation in Calgary. Mrs. Campbell is staying in Calgary while her daughter is in the hospital.

Mrs. J. E. Brown left for the States last week, where she intends to stay a couple of months, visiting with friends and relatives in Portland Oregon and vicinity.

Carseland played in Vulcan last week and came home with another victory of 8.7. Our new goalie, Elvin Harper, is doing a very good job of tending net.

Weekend visitors from Calgary included Helen McKinnon, Kathleen McKinnon, Barbara Gillespie, Gwen Hunt and Jimmy Mutch.

The regular meeting of the Woman's Association (L. A.) will be held at the home of Mrs. S. Hunt on March 19.

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NAMAKA NOTES

— By Mrs. E. B. —

Quite a number of Namaka folks are taking part in the mixed bonspiel being held in Strathmore.

Miss Mary Kramer and Miss Hilda Fossum spent the weekend in Calgary.

The school children held a farewell party last Wednesday in honor of the Newfield and Enns children who will be moving shortly to make their new homes in British Columbia.

Mrs. Klitgaard's nephew, Mr. Wm. Mangel of Saskatchewan, is enjoying several weeks visit with Mr. and Mrs. S. Klitgaard.

The Local Community Club member served lunch at Mr. A. Enns sale last Wednesday, the day was very cold but they reported a profitable sale of hot dogs and coffee.

The Card Party of March 5, took the form of double entertainment when the community honored Mr. and Mrs. Bob Watts and Mr. and Mrs. K. C. Watts on their recent marriages. Both Whist and Bridge were played by a very large crowd of people. About midnight the honored guests and immediate families were seated at the head table, which was decorated with pink and white streamers.

Everyone enjoyed the lovely lunch of ice cream, cake and sandwiches. Then Mr. Loy Wheeler called on Mr. A. Thompson to present Mr. and Mrs. K. C. Watts with a five piece folding bridge set. Kenny replied in capable manner, then Mr. H. Wooster asked Mr. and Mrs. Bob Watts to accept a similar set from the community. Bobby replied thanking all for the welcome gift.

The winners in Bridge were: Miss Hilda Fossum and Mr. Earl Buker. Whist winners were: Mrs. I. Moss and Mr. G. Howe. The money guessing contest was won by Mr. Nick Boschman. The committee for the evening was Mr. J. Bigger, Mr. Ike Fawkes and Willie Fawkes.

Mrs. M. A. Watts is spending a few days with friends in Calgary. Mrs. Maud Bigger of Calgary spent a couple of days last week with Jimmy on the farm.

The local ladies again served lunch at D. Newfield's Auction Sale on Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Newfield and family will move very shortly to make their new home at Chilliwack B.C.

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CLUNY

Mrs. Enright of Champion is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Williams. Mrs. J. Laing (nee Jean Fairbairn) of Ontario, who was a December bride at Victoria V. I. was guest of honor at a miscellaneous shower held in the Cluny hall on Saturday, March 8, when between 70 and 80 of Cluny and district ladies gathered to honor her. The gifts were many, varied and beautiful and the dally decorated wagon in which they were presented was a work of art.

The tables in the dining room were tastefully decorated with pink and white streamers and were centred with vases of daffodils making a very spring like appearance. A very delicious lunch was served after the gifts were unwrapped and admired, the guest of honour in a few well chosen remarks thanked her many friends for their kindness and thoughtfulness. Jean is visiting with her parents for the next week or two.

Mr. and Mrs. Ally Rielly and children visited in Cluny over the weekend returning to Seebe on Monday.

WEDDING

FENSEKE — WILLIAMS

A marriage of interest to Cluny and Chancellor took place in Calgary on Saturday March 8, when Helen Viola Williams, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Williams of Cluny, became the bride of James Francis Fenske, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Fenske of Chancellor. The bride who was given in marriage by her father, looked very winsome in a floor length gown of ivory satin and a short chapel veil and carried red roses, was attended by her sister, Mrs. J. Papp, gowned in rose lace and net and whose bouquet was of pink and white carnations. The groom was attended by his brother-in-law, Mr. J. Papp.

The bride's mother wore a sky-blue dress with matching hat and a corsage of pink roses. The groom's mother was attired in a summer black dress with a corsage of red roses.

The happy couple left for a honeymoon at Edmonton and Banff, after which they will reside on the groom's farm at Chancellor.

Under The Street Lamp

by PAT O'HOOLEY

He was dug out of his wrecked car and carried to the doctor's office by Red McDougall.

"I can't do anything for him," said the doctor. "I'm a veterinary surgeon."

"That's all right," said Red. "he was a jackass to think he could do fifty on those tires."

Toughy Roberts: "One seat for tonight's show, well forward, centre and downstairs. Do you have one?"

Irene Willson: "Can you play a violin?"

Two replies were received to Lyda McLean's query as to how maple sugar always climbs her fork to the handle. One from Dick Risdon points out that it is a by-product of a sap, which is always forcing its way upward, and therefore is merely (to quote the words of the song) "doing what comes naturally." And Butch Bonitz says: "Quite natural! Didn't it climb a tree in the first place?"

Myrtle Morton: "That's a good looking car. What's the most you ever got out of it?"

Dick Caldwell: "Eight times in one mile."

"What makes Grandpa walk so slowly?" asked Gordon Ganton.

"Why, he's growing old," was the reply.

"I should think that would make him walk better, because he's had more practise."

Cliff Giroux: "So Lloyd has given up smoking?"

Gordon Risdon: "Yes, on the advice of his doctor, at the request of his wife, and by command of his mother-in-law."

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NIGHTINGALE

By Mrs. F. H.

Mrs. Jack Meston entertained the Woman's Institute at her home last Friday, for roll call there was a baby picture guessing contest. Each member brought a baby picture and Mrs. Jack Garrett guessed all correctly. A number of quilt blocks were turned in and absent members are asked to leave their blocks at the store as soon as possible. The date for the social evening, when home talent plays will be the big attraction, was set for Friday March 28. Mrs. Don Dougan and Mrs. Jack Stoodley were delegates to the Calgary conference and will make their report at the next meeting. Mrs. Meston won the raffle for the cheer gift donated by Mrs. Walter Mercer. A delicious tea was served at the close of a pleasant social hour.

After a two month's stay in Calgary Mr. and Mrs. George Thurston returned to their home last Friday.

Mrs. J. W. Miller of Red Deer visited with her parents Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Harriman for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Friez of Dalemend visited for a few days with Mrs. Friez's parents Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Kinney.

Robert Newall is away on a holiday in California.

There was a jolly party at the hall last Friday when many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Friez (nee Lois Kinney) gathered to do them honor. Music for dancing was supplied by Mr. and Mrs. Harold Payne and Don Murray. Immediately after supper a table was set up and covered with many lovely gifts. Mr. and Mrs. Friez were asked to come to the front. Mrs. F. H. Harriman then made the presentation and asked the young couple to accept the gifts along with all the good wishes and hoped they would have many happy years to enjoy them. Lois and Carl each expressed their thanks and the crowd sang lustily "For They Are Jolly Good Fellows." The good time lasted to an early hour. Mr. and Mrs. Friez will make their home in Dalemend and will be glad to have their friends visit them. Among those to come from a distance were Mr. and Mrs. Dave Nelson from Shoolice, Mr. and Mrs. Omar Slack and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Friez from Dalemend.

RURAL GLEICHEN

The U.F.A. and U.F.W.A. held a card party at Meadowbrook Friday evening. Prizes going to Mrs. R. Burne, Mrs. G. Yule, Mrs. A. Wilson and Mr. George Burne.

The U.F.W.A. met with Mrs. Lilja on March 6. The highlights were read and plans were discussed for a card party. Lunch was served by Mrs. G. McBean, Mrs. E. Ferguson, Mrs. Lilja and Mrs. Quennell.

Mr. and Mrs. Quennell were hosts to a group of friends on Saturday evening.

Mr. J. H. Sammons is a patient in the Holy Cross Hospital. Four ladies rinks from Gleichen took in the Strathmore ladiesspiel.

A house warming party was held on Saturday evening for Mr. and Mrs. T. Brown.

Mr. Tom Burne, Mr. Jack Burne, Mr. and Mrs. F. Daw and Tommy, Mr. and Mrs. F. Sammons, Ruth and Jimmie were Sunday supper guests of the H. Burne family.

Mrs. A. Desmets and daughter have been spending several days visiting her mother, Mrs. Warner.

Mrs. Warner and Mrs. J. H. Sammons were Calgary visitors this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Peacock have purchased the Milloy house.

Mr. and Mrs. Desmets, Mr. and Mrs. George Desjardins, Mr. and Mrs. Chartrand and family were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Karl Sammons.

FAIRPLAY

By M. C. B.

Mr. and Mrs. Dumbleton entertained a number of friends on Friday night and again on Sunday, complimenting Mrs. Dumbleton's father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Mowbray who are on their way home to Ningsa Manitoba, after spending three months visiting friends in California.

Mr. D. Fraser Sr. suffered a painful accident when he slipped and fell from a hammer-mill injuring his leg. He has been under the doctor's care and laid up for some time.

Miss Florence Love spent the week-end at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Lowe.

Mrs. E. C. Sidney hopes to be able to return to her home some time this week following an operation in Calgary three weeks ago.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Dumbleton entertained three tables of 500 on Wednesday evening, three scores were won by

JOB ADJUSTMENT

No one will ever be killed by hard work if he loves, and is suited for, that work, according to health experts. Work which may be harmful is that for which a person is not suited, or which can be performed only by constant strain and worry. Everyone, therefore, should strive to find interesting, as well as profitable employment.

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Mr. A. Warrack and Mrs. Dumbleton, seconds going to Mr. and Mrs. J. Newton. A delicious lunch was served by the hostess.

Miss Mavis Anderson left last Sunday for Regina, from which point she will take up her duties.

Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Braden included Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Moe and Mr. and Mrs. D. Heckle and family.

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The British Wheat Agreement

Elsewhere in this issue, we are reprinting an article from the Alberta Wheat Pool Budget dealing with the five year wheat agreement made with Great Britain by the Canadian Government recently. It is interesting in this connection to see that in both countries many people feel that their government has sold them short. As Lytton Strachy suggests, in dealing with the matter, "both sides can hardly be right."

It came as rather a surprise in reading the Senate notes of Dr. F. W. Gershaw this week to learn that five other countries had been offered negotiations on the same contract. On this basis it is hard to suggest that Britain has been unduly favored. None of these five, of course, followed up negotiations. (We say "of course" in that instance, not because we feel they were wise, but since it is obvious that everyone should have known had they accepted.)

Dr. Gershaw also points out that in Argentina, where wheat is being sold on the world market and at world prices, the producer still receives only \$1.21% per bushel. All the remainder is used for road work and other national projects. We feel strangely in-

terested to read this...we've listened to opponents of the Wheat Agreement cite the farmers of Argentina in contrast to the farmers of Canada, arguing that Canadian farmers were getting a raw deal.

We're inclined to dispute their argument. We feel that the farmer, particularly the Western farmer, is getting at last what he wanted for so long; some measures of security in his undertakings.

Under the present shortage of materials, many businesses can predict full output for the next two years, and some can go so far as to say three years. But there are mighty few lines in which the future may be reasonably gauged for as far ahead as five years.

Barring two wars, when everything was needed which the farmer could produce, we suggest that many farmers did not know in the spring when the market for their product would be in the fall. For less could they estimate the market the next year, and to think five years ahead was in the realm of fantasy.

We're glad to see two more arguments favoring the wheat agreement; we think it's still one of the best strokes of fortune the farmers have had.

Blood Is Life

One of the major factors contributing to the causes of death in the Dominion is the lack of adequate transfusion facilities in our hospitals to cope with accidents and other illnesses.

To meet the needs of Canadian hospitals, the Red Cross is establishing, as part of its peacetime programme, a completely free Blood Transfusion Service. This new activity will make it possible for every hospital in Canada, and the patients they serve, to obtain a constant supply of whole blood and plasma free of charge.

Those who remember the part played by blood plasma and blood products in saving lives during the war will realize the importance of this peace-

time service. Every day there are instances of civilians, mothers in childbirth, victims of fire and those suffering through accident, illness and disease, needing blood to save their lives. The generosity of Canadian hospitals find difficulty in providing sufficient blood to meet emergencies.

This is an important Red Cross service and a costly one with results measured in terms of lives saved. More than one fifth of the \$5,000,000 budget required by the Society in 1947 will be used to ensure the availability of life-saving whole blood and plasma through our hospitals to all Canadians from coast to coast.

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Alas! Also Alack! Us Poor Men!

Alas! Alack and woe is me;

I have a curlier wife.

Of all the men upon this earth

I lead the saddest life.

Before the town went curling mad

In winters long gone by.

We spent our evenings playing cards.

Or reading—Neil and I.

But now, alas, the times are changed

At home Nell will not stay.

At meals her talk is all of "wicks"

And draws and how they "lay".

I went down once to see a game,

And so surprised was I

To find she still could use a broom:

My, how the snow did fly

I never see her sweep at home;

For all that I could see

The ice was clean, and why they swept

Is far from plain to me.

Nell says no man would understand

The fine points of the game.

But when she brings her prize home

I'm pleased. But all the same

I'm glad when summer breezes blow

And skips no more cry "sweep"

For now I only see my Nell

When eating or asleep

A "poor" male.

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CANADIAN LEGION

vinial Command to protest most strongly to the Liquor Control Board of the Province, over their continued watering of alcohol, to demand that if this policy is continued, the price be dropped in proportion. It was pointed out that this measure was a wartime one, and that the rights of the public are being hedged about by its continuance.

Election of officers resulted in the following: President, Mr. Ian McKenzie; 1 vice, S. Slater; 2 vice, A. Scott; secretary-treasurer, S. H. Crowther; chairman of the entertainment committee with power to add, W. Woodliffe; members of the executive, H. C. Wilson, D. Hirdle, W. Tew, G. McLean and D. Kermack. Chairman of the sick committee, C. A. MacLean, committee to be chosen in consultation with the executive; rehabilitation committee, H. C. Wilson, O. Woldum, and W. Weyers.

A vote of thanks was extended the retiring members of the executive for last year.

It was arranged that the next meeting should be the Vimy Social, with wives and sweethearts of members invited.

EVERYONE SHOULD PAY FOR EDUCATION

Everyone gets education, why shouldn't everybody pay for it? By our present obsolete tax system the owners of land and buildings pay 78% of the cost of our schools, and the Government pays about 22%. There are scores of thousands of people who got almost a free education by this system. They are sending children to school and yet pay little towards the cost.

Since merely to live in an educated community is better than to live in an illiterate one, everybody in Alberta may be said to benefit through public education. So everybody should be required to contribute to its support according to his ability. Anybody who can afford to buy luxuries, radios, records, cosmetics, liquor, nylon, movie-admissions, tobacco, etc. can afford to contribute a fair share to support education. The way to collect that share from them is through the general taxation on such articles and through the general revenue of the province. The people who pay those taxes will profit in the end, because nothing raises the standard of living as much as a highly skilled, intelligent citizenry.

THE WHEAT BOARD AGREEMENT

The Wheat Board bill introduced into the House of Commons at Ottawa is calculated to give the board complete control of the marketing of Western Canada's wheat up until August 1, 1950.

There has always been a doubt as to the legal power of the federal government to establish and operate an effective Wheat Board except under extraordinary wartime powers. After the 1919 Wheat Board was disorganized, because of the termination of power assumed during wartime, the law officers of the crown gave a considered opinion, based on postwar decisions of the privy council, that the creation of such a board was beyond the powers of the federal government.

The 1935 act which created the Wheat Board did not give that body power

to handle all of the wheat production of Western Canada. Such power was given under emergency wartime measures. In the bill now before the House, it is contended that the British wheat agreement has been entered into by the government and, in order to make it effective, it is necessary to provide for the carrying out of the arrangement.

One section provides that only the Board has the right to export wheat or wheat products, to transport same or to buy and sell wheat within any province for delivery in any other province.

Another section forbids all persons to deliver wheat to an elevator and elevator operators to receive same except under authority contained in a permit book to be issued to each producer. (Continued on Page five)

Community Auction Sale GLEICHEN

Saturday, March 22nd, 1947
Sale starts at 1:00 p.m.

Have you anything to sell? Turn your unwanted articles into cash
Articles for sale should be in by 11:00 a.m., the day of the sale.

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BERRY VALE W.I.

by Mrs. G. H.

The Berry Vale W. I. held at the home of Mrs. L. Wise on March 6. Roll call for the day was Meat Recipes and the two Subjects for our Scrap Book were "Implements," by Mrs. D. Sarsons, and "Soil," by Mrs. Ronnie Hughes.

A News letter was read from Miss Norma Jean Hoag. Home Economist, which was very interesting and helpful to our W. I.

Mrs. Leonard Hilton handed in a pair of hand knit socks priced by members at \$1.25 and bought back by Mrs. Leonard Hilton.

The members of the W. I. have decided to make a refugee outfit for a girl four years old, consisting of a skirt, blouse, slip, panties, pyjamas etc., and also an outfit for a baby boy.

Adelicious lunch was served by hostesses to eight members and two visitors.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. D. Sarsons, March 20, roll call being Songs of Ireland, and the Subjects are, "Water Supply," by Mrs. Fred Hilton, and "Trees," by Mrs. Leonard Hilton.

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AUCTION SALE

Having received instructions from Mrs. L. M. HENRY, who has rented her farm, I will sell the undermentioned by Public Auction at the Farm, which is situated—Sec. 31, Twp. 20, Rce. 24, W. 1/4, being 1 1/2 Miles North of Mossleigh, and 14 Miles Southeast of Carleton Place, and 8 Miles West of Arrowwood, on

MONDAY, MAR. 17, 1947
at 11 a.m. Sharp

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MACHINERY — BUILDINGS
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Registered Cattle—

Bell Domino 29th, 102585, born May 2, 1936, sire Prince Dom 45th; dam Belle Donald P. 4th.

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Shorthorn, Cow, 8 yrs. old; Shorthorn Cow, 5 yrs.; Jersey Cow, 3 yrs.; Jersey Cow, 5 yrs.; Shorthorn Heifer, 4 yrs.; Shorthorn Cow, 4 yrs.; 2 Shorthorn Cows, 3 yrs.; 3 Steers, 2 yrs.; 4 Yearling Steers; 1 Yearling Heifer; 2 Calves.

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1 GOAT.

BARN 16x20, BROODER HOUSE 8x16, and BROODER HOUSE 8x10, COAL HOUSE 8x10.

Farm Implements:

No. 25 Massey-Harris Tractor, on rubber with Power Takeoff; No. 33 Cockshutt Tiller Combine complete; 8 Ft. Packer; 14 1/2 inch Cockshutt Tractor Plover; 18 ton Van Brunt Disc Drill; 8 Sections Diamond Harrows; 12 inch Gold, Shapely & Muir Grind; L.H.C. Pump Engine; Pump Jack; 2 Steel Wagons and Racks; Wagon and Grain Box; Running Gear; Ton Renfrew Scale; Cockshutt 30 1/2 ft. Cultivator; Two 10 Ft. Rod Weeder and Tractor Hitches; Arvil Vine Forge; Grease Gun; Two Brooder Stoves; Massey-Harris Cream Separator; Incubators; Chains; Porks. Shovels and other small tools too numerous to mention.

Household Effects

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NOTE—This offering of Farm Machinery is in the first class condition, and the Cows are all due to freshen the end of March, and there are some outstanding Milch Cows in the herd. Don't forget Date, Place and Time of this Sale.

Lunch by the Ladies' Aid at a Nominal Fee

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A. Ferguson, Calgary, Clerk of Sale
Phone R2771

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WHEAT BOARD

ducer. Railways are forbidden to transport any wheat not delivered under a permit book. Control over elevators and railways is based on the declaration that these are works for the general advantage of Canada.

The buying or selling of wheat within any province is permitted provided the wheat is not moved or sold outside the province, put into an elevator, or loaded into a railway car.

There is nothing in the act which refers to the closing of the grain exchange, but the regulations specified make it impossible for the exchange to operate in the buying and selling of wheat up until August 1, 1950.

The Winnipeg Free Press, vigorous opponent of government participation in wheat marketing, said: "Bill No. 25 to amend the Wheat Board Act is easily the most socialistic measure ever introduced by a responsible government in the Canadian parliament."

"The Financial Post refers to the bill and the government wheat policy as 'our gigantic wheat gamble.' It said the government 'has gambled its political future as well as a great many dollars that wheat is going to be cheap in 1949 and 1950.'"

All political parties in the House of Commons favored the Wheat Board bill in principle, but there was divergence of opinions on details.

The Progressive-Conservative party was most critical, particularly with regard to the price of wheat and the wide powers asked for the board. John Bracken, leader of the party, suggested that a settlement be made to the farmers each year instead of at the end of a five-year period. A. L. Smith, Progressive Conservative for Calgary West, suggested that the grain exchange be permitted to operate.

The C.C.F. party expressed its approval of the bill, but thought coarse grains should be handled by the board as well as wheat. (The plan is to make it optional to the farmer whether he delivers coarse grains to the Wheat Board). The C.C.F. also thought that the floor price should be higher.

The Social Credit party was in favor of the principle of the bill and the Canadian Wheat board, but contended that farmers should receive a higher price.

THE BUDGET

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7:30 p.m. Public Worship.
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STRATHMORE—
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Sunday, March 9, 1947.

3rd in Lent

8:30 a.m. Holy Communion

11:00 a.m. Sunday School

7:30 p.m. Evening Prayer

St. Andrew's, Gleichen

11:00 a.m. Morning Prayer

LUTHERAN CHURCH, STANDARD

— M. Jorgensen, Pastor —

Sunday, March 16, 10:30 Communion Services, English, 12:00 Fellowship Services, 2:30 services, Danish, 8:00 English, address by visiting pastor.

Wed. March 19, 8:00 The Dorcas Society will meet in the home of Mrs. Axel Rasmussen.

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STANDARD NEWS

By Mrs. R. G.

At a recent meeting of farmers held in the K. P. Hall, it was decided to revive Local No. 382 of The Alberta Farmers Union. The following officers were elected: Mr. Roy Sorensen, Mr. Bill Collins, Mr. P. Bath, Mr. Ed. Kelly, Mr. Elmer Andersen, Mr. M. Christensen and Mr. Hans Reiffenstein. All farmers interested should get in touch with the officers.

Miss Benita McGowan was home over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mellan have left on a trip to California. Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Story are staying at the farm until their return.

The young people met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jergen Laursen and a good time was reported.

WEDDING

BUSHELL—WESTERGARD
At 7:30 p.m. March 8, Knox United church, Calgary, was the setting for the marriage of Thea, youngest daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Westergard of Standard and Will, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Bushell of 21st Ave. West, Calgary. Rev. Allen R. Hubbard officiated.

The bride given in marriage by her father Mr. Andy Westergard, wore a blue gabardine dressmaker suit with black accessories. Her corsage was of American Beauty roses.

Miss Gladys Gibson of Calgary, in a gold dressmaker suit with brown accessories, attended as bride and Mr. Norman Bushell, brother of the groom, was the best man.

Following a reception held at the home of the groom's parents, the happy couple left for a short honeymoon in Banff, on their return they will reside in Brooks.

FARMING NEWS

Produced by the Alberta Department of Agriculture

FORAGE CROPS FOR EVERY FARM
J. E. Birdall, Supervisor of Crop Improvement, says that every farmer and rancher in Alberta who has not already included forage crops in his programme would benefit by so doing. Two requirements are necessary: the most suitable kind and variety must be chosen, and proper seeding methods followed.

Forage crops produce an abundance of valuable feed. They result in greater carrying capacity of pastures, and heavier yield of hay. There are however, more fundamental benefits than these—benefits in the field of soil conservation and reclamation. The soil can be tied down with grass roots, fertility can be added or restored and weeds fight a losing battle when they come into competition with forage crops.

Instead of growing a grass or legume for hay or pasture alone, try mixture of the two, suggests Mr. Birdall. In this way you will combine the advantage of each and avoid most of the disadvantages. Mixtures give greater yields of hay or pasture than either grass or legume sown singly. For hay, a mixture is desirable because it is superior to grass in feeding value and is more easily harvested and cured than a legume.

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WATER and the DAIRY HERD

Alberta dairymen were reminded at their annual convention in Calgary recently of the importance of a plentiful supply of good water. R. P. Dixon, Supervisor of Dairy Herd Improvement told them that water is a requirement often overlooked, but its adequate use is one of the cheapest means of increasing production.

Mr. Dixon said that the amount of water consumed by dairy cows depends on their size, milk production, and amount of feed, and on the temperature of the surrounding air. Cows allowed free access to water will consume greater quantities than if allowed water only once or twice daily. If from the wind, and during the winter months a heater should be used to raise the temperature of the water.

Where cows are watered oftener than twice a day, increased milk yields will result. The keynote is to provide such conditions that a maximum consumption of water will be encouraged.

To make registered and certified seed readily available to every farmer in the province, grain elevator agents are provided with order forms and price lists. They are always pleased to take an order. They know that every order means more good seed in their districts.

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In The Legislature

By G. E. Bell, M.L.A.

Hon. W. A. Fallow, in taking part in the Debate on the Speech from the Throne, reported that over 4,500 miles of Main Highways had been maintained last year, and also nearly 3,500 miles of District Highways. Last year over 1,800 miles of Municipal roads were constructed, and nearly 1,200 miles gravelled, which the Government assisted with Municipal grants.

371 miles of Main Highways were constructed last year, and 581 miles of Main Highways were surfaced with gravel. Nearly 100 miles of road were given the base-course treatment.

More than 40 steel bridges were repaired or built, and over 200 timber bridges. Ten steel bridges are presently under construction, four of which are on the Grimsshaw Highway.

Revenue in this Department for 1946 from Vehicle and Highway Traffic Act, Fuel Oil Tax Act, and Highway Traffic Board, was close to \$9,000,000.00.

In reply to criticism by the C.C.F. the Hon. Mr. Fallow gave the following information from the Public Accounts of the Province of Saskatchewan.

Last year, by an educational tax, they collected more than \$5,500,000.00;

by public revenue tax (which is similar to our past Social Service Tax), they collected \$2,158,000.00; and by the collection of direct relief extending back from 1930, they collected nearly \$5,500,000.00 more. This money collected on direct relief included medical services, feed grain, fodder and grasshopper and goopher extermination. All of these same debts in Alberta have been cancelled by the Alberta Social Credit Government, while in Saskatchewan they have forced collection of these debts from the farmers, many of these debts dating back for sixteen years. Saskatchewan paid less for education than was collected by the Educational Tax, and so took nothing from the rest of their Provincial revenue for Educational assistance.

"One out of every eight Alberta citizens was X-rayed for T.B. last year," reported Dr. W. W. Cross, when taking part in the Debate on the Speech from the Throne. The death rate from this disease had been reduced twenty-five per cent since the present Government took office.

Last year more than 11,000 patients were checked in the two cancer clinics. Approximately one-half of this number did not have the disease.

Bow Valley School Board Offer \$300 Scholarships

The shortage of qualified teachers has caused the Board of the Bow Valley School Division to set up two scholarships of \$300.00 each to induce Bow Valley High School graduates to enter the teaching profession. The two scholarships, each of \$300.00, will be offered to High School graduates who meet the qualifications and who will take the Faculty of Education course and graduate to teach for three years in the Bow Valley Division following completion of their training. Specific rules and regulations respecting the scholarships will be drawn up and published at a later date. This matter was discussed at the last regular meeting of the Divisional Board.

The 1947 budget was another matter given serious consideration by the Board. The Board found it necessary

to increase the budget somewhat over last year. This was made necessary due to increase in teachers' salaries, in transportation costs, and in the necessity of setting up a building or capital reserve. Every effort however was made to keep the various items of expenditure at the lowest possible level consistent with educational efficiency.

The Teachers Salary Committee met with the Board to consider salaries for next year. The committee requested that the Board establish a \$1,400 basic minimum with additional allowances for qualifications and experience. The trustees turned down this proposal and instead offered a "single salary" schedule with a minimum of \$1,200 and payments for qualifications and experience. No agreement was reached. Both parties however, are to consider the matter further at the regular meeting in April when it is expected further information may be available re Departmental Grants for next year.

A new library system is to be inaugurated in the Bow Valley schools. This will be set up along the lines of the Dewey Decimal Library System with modifications for small schools. The chief purpose of the system is to prevent the loss of a number of library and reference books which has normally taken place every year. The system will greatly facilitate frequent and periodic checking of all books in the schools.

Two amendments were made to the Van Drivers Agreement or "Milkease Form." The Board approved an increase to the rate per hour for wages and included an additional clause which allows the driver 3% on his total investment. It is expected that all the Van Drivers will shortly call at the secretary's office for completion of the necessary forms.

A special committee was set up by the Board to investigate a report on the financial arrangements and educational alternatives with respect to the financial establishments of the students attending the Dana School in Standard. Further information will be available at a later date.

PLAY OUTDOORS

Wise people prefer to play and enjoy themselves outdoors rather than in confined rooms. Health authorities approve recreation and amusement, as necessary relief from work and worry. They particularly endorse outdoor play, when possible.

LANGDON

— By G. E. W. —

Owing to the extreme cold weather of last week, the local club meetings were cancelled.

Miss A. Hall, pioneer teacher, was called home suddenly last Thursday evening owing to the serious illness of her father, we are glad to report that his condition has improved and Miss Hall is back on the job this morning.

Mrs. E. Moe, Mrs. G. Whitney and Mrs. S. Dain, were visiting members to the W.I. convention and banquet held in Calgary last week.

Mrs. Kernaghan's daughter, Dorothy of Spring Coulee spent a few days with her mother, she was delegate to the W.I. convention.

Mrs. Ed. Winstrom of Langdon was also delegate to the convention.

WINTER READING

Special care in selecting correct light for working and for reading when inside a great deal during winter months, is advised by National Health authorities at Ottawa. They declare proper lighting cheap health insurance. Eye-strain due to inadequate light can cause headaches and many other ailments.

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Local News Items

BRIDAL SHOWER

Berta Vale School was filled to capacity Wednesday March 19, when friends and neighbours assembled at a shower held in honour of Mr. and Mrs. Freddy Deeg (nee Marion Morton).

Several games of Bingo were played after which Jean Porteous conveyed to the young couple the good wishes and congratulations of those present. Numerous, useful and beautiful gifts were unwrapped and displayed to view. Marion and Freddy thanked everyone for their kindness and invited all to visit them in their new home at Layla. "For They Are Good Fellows," was sung followed by lunch.

Music by the Scott orchestra enabled lively dancing to be enjoyed by all till the night was well gone.

Irene Struble arrived home from Manitoba last Friday accompanied by her sister and niece.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Tench had Graham home over the weekend, and visiting with him were Mr. Lawrence Bruce and Mr. Tom Ickes, both of Calgary, and also a nephew, Sgt. Walter Van Mayo, whom Mr. Tench had not seen in thirty years. Sgt. Mayo is presently stationed in Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Law and children of Husar were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Ponger. Mr. Frank Pow at one time member of the local Bank Staff, has been transferred from Edmonton to Leduc Branch where he has been made manager.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Wheeler returned last week from a six weeks visit to various points in the Western States.

Mrs. Garrett spent a few days in Calgary during the week.

Clarence Van Tighem, who has spent the past three weeks in Strathmore and Calgary, left Thursday morning on his return trip to Peru.

Mrs. Van Tighem still remains quite seriously ill in the Holy Cross Hospital, but hopes are constantly entertained for a turn for the better soon.

The Women's Auxiliary of United Church arranged a very pleasant social afternoon Wednesday in honor of Miss Nellie West, who leaves in about two weeks for Detroit where she plans to take a six weeks course in Missionary work.

After a couple of contests, and an interesting reading by Mrs. Rindon, Mrs. Sander, on behalf of those present, presented Miss West with a very pretty gold brooch set with pearls accompanied with all good wishes for the future. Miss West thanked the ladies for their lovely gift and said it would serve as a warm reminder of her many pleasant days.

Staff Sgt. H. Awdley, of Oaage, Sask. is spending a short visit at the home of Jack Isard. He and Jack were overseas for some time together, and Sgt. Awdley has been back only three weeks. Mr. and Mrs. Isard also have a niece visiting them.

Miss Dorothy Kimmett has accepted a position in Orange California, for a short time. She went down to the States with relatives for a holiday, and to visit friends.

During Miss West's stay in Strathmore she has been a very helpful member of various organizations in the church and the ladies wished to express their appreciation.

Miss Grace Haddon came down from Calgary for the weekend at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Milbak returned Wednesday from their honeymoon trip to Banff and are spending a few days in Strathmore before going on to their home at Standard.

MAKE SURE OF SEED SUPPLIES

To produce the feed necessary for increased hog production 500,000 more acres of barley are needed in Alberta in 1947. This objective can be achieved only by making sure of seed supplies. Eastern Canada and other outside markets are waiting to buy thousands of bushels of both feed and seed barley, and as soon as shipping facilities are available, Alberta's supplies will decrease rapidly.

Barley that can be cleaned to seed grade is still available on many Alberta farms, and farmers are urged by the Alberta Department of Agriculture to arrange for their supplies early. Increased hog production depends on adequate feed and the best way to assure plentiful supplies of feed is to increase acreage. Grow 25% more barley this year.

CLEAN HANDS

Pointing to the care with which a Cat washes its paws, health educators emphasize the need of cleanliness in food handling. Cats' paws are comparable to human hands, they say, and hand cleanliness is a health "must."

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OBITUARIES

ways, Anna, Ellen and Adolph looking after their mother till her death.

She is survived by three daughters, Mrs. F. Stangler Strathmore, Anna Ellen now living in Calgary, two sons Adolph also of Calgary, David of Strathmore, and 6 grandchildren.

One sister Mrs. Johnson Greeley Colorado, one brother Oscar Ahl Bird Island, Minnesota. She was predeceased by her husband, Eric, in 1932, two daughters Alice in 1924, Hulda in 1945 and one son Fritz in 1942.

Services were conducted Friday February 28 in Strathmore by Rev. J. H. Garden of Calgary, an old friend of the family and also by Rev. A. A. Hamilton of Strathmore. Soloist was Mr. W. Hallgren who sang "The Future," also a friend of the family, the pianist was Mrs. A. Polley, Strathmore.

Pall bearers were Mr. B. H. Hornstrom, Mr. W. Hornstrom, both of Calgary, Mr. D. R. Garriott, Fred Wegener of Strathmore, Bert Horton and Paul Busmann of Rockyford.



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ATA MEETING

experience, is of much greater value than the secondary education of the adolescent. In support of this theory it was pointed out that the most notable example, namely Denmark with its fifty-seven Adult Residential Short-Course Schools, is credited with an Educational system unsurpassed in its effect upon the intelligence, idealism, co-operation, progressiveness, and prosperity of the people.

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The date for the next meeting was set for April 16 and the place, was Carseland.

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